# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# TEXTILES
# LOK SABHA

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TECHNOLOGY MISSION ON JUTE
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**Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:**

(a) Whether the Government are considering a comprehensive package for the jute industry under the Technology Mission on Jute;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the time by which it is likely to be given such package?

## Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES SHRI BASANAGOUDA R. PATIL (YATNAL)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) & (c) Efforts are being made to launch a comprehensive package for the jute industry under the name `Jute Technology Mission` during this financial year. The areas proposed to be covered under Jute Technology Mission include Agricultural Research, Transfer of Technology, Rural Market Infrastructure and Technology Upgradation in the manufacturing sector.